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BJECT: ZIPA COMMUNIQUE TO FRONT-LINE PRESIDENTS
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LLOWING IS VERBATIM TEXT OF ZIPA COMMUNIQUE WHICH WAS
NT TO FRONT-LINE PRESIDENTS SEPTEMBER 30. COMMUNIQUE
S SIGNED BY ZIPA ARMY COMMANDER REX NHONGO. EMBOFF
TAINED COPY OF MESSAGE AT ZIPA PRESS CONFERENCE RE-
RTED RIFTEL.
GIN TEXT
MORANDUM SUBMITTED TO:
AIRMAN OF THE OAU
OPLES'S REPUBLIC OF MOZAMBIQUE
ITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA
PUBLIC OF ZAMBIA
PUBLIC OF BOTSWANA
OPLE'S REPUBLIC OF ANGOLA
AIRMAN OF THE OAU LIBERATION COMMITTEE
RESPONSE TO:
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) THE CURRENT MOVES ON ZIMBABWE BY THE U.S. SECRETARY
STATE DR. HENRY KISSINGER, PRIME MINISTER JOHN
RSTER OF SOUTH AFRICA AND THE TERRORIST LEADER
N SMITH IN RHODESIA.
) SMITH'S BROADCAST OF SEPTEMBER 24TH 1976 AT
00 PM LOCAL TIME (18:00 HOURS G.M.T.).

E ZIMBABWE PEOPLE'S ARMY (ZIPA)

HAVE FOLLOWED WITH CLOSE INTEREST THE KISSINGER
NEUVERS FOR THE PAST WEEKS WHICH CULMINATED IN THE
CENT MEETING OF KISSINGER, VORSTER AND SMITH IN
ETORIA ON SUNDAY 19 SEPTEMBER 1976 AT WHICH THEY

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SCUSSED PROPOSALS FOR THE SO-CALLED "SETTLEMENT"
THE ZIMBABWE CONSTITUTIONAL DISPUTE. WE HAVE
SO LISTENED TO THE RADIO BROADCAST BY IAN SMITH
24 SEPTEMBER 1976 AT 8:00 PM LOCAL TIME (18:00
URS G.M.T.) IN WHICH HE SPELLED OUT AND ACCEPTED
E PROPOSLAS FOR RESOLVING THE ZIMBABWEAN DISPUTE
T FORWARL BY THE U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DR. HENRY
SSINGER WITH THE SUPPORT OF WESTERN POWERS. WE
SE TO DRAW YOUR ATTENTION TO THE FACT THAT WE
MPLETELY AND UNRESERVEDLY OPPOSE THE KISSINGER
OPOSALS. WE TOTALLY REJECT KISSINGER'S VICIOUS
HEME IN ITS ENTIRETY WHICH IS AIMED AT SABOTAGING
E ZIMBABWEAN STRUGGLE AND SIMULTANEOUSLY PRESERVING
STERN INTERESTS IN ZIMBABWE. WE ARE DETERMINED
FIGHT THE KISSINGER PROPOSALS TO THE BITTER END.

HEREBY REITERATE OUR UNSWERVING COMMITMENT TO THE
TAL LIBERATION OF ZIMBABWE THROUGH ARMED STRUGGLE.
E KISSINGER PROPOSALS FALL FAR SHORT OF OUR OBJECTIVE
SEIZING POLITICAL POWER. AS FAR AS WE ARE CONCERNED
EITHER COMPLETELY SEIZE POWER OR POLITICAL
WER IS UNCONDITIONALLY SURRENDERED TO THE PEOPLE
ZIMBABWE. WE ALSO WISH TO REIGSTER OUR DEEP
ATITUDE AND GREAT APPRECIATION FOR THE SUPPORT
HAVE RECEIVED FROM THE ORGANISATION OF AFRICAN
ITY AND THE PROGRESSIVE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY IN THE
OSECUTION OF THE ARMED STRUGGLE WHICH HAS NOW
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RCED THE IMPERIALIST POWERS TO TAKE DESPERATE
VES TO PRESERVE AND SAFEGUARD THEIR VESTED INTERESTS
ZIMBABWE. PAST EXPERIENCES HAVE TAUGHT US THAT
L IMPERIALISTS AND REACTIONARIES WILL NEVER CHANGE
FIR NATURE. THEY WILL ALWAYS RESORT TO COUNTER-
VOLUTIONARY DUAL TACTICS. RECENT EVENTS CHARACTERISED
POLITICAL DECEPTION ARE A MANIFESTATION OF THE SHAME-
SS AND BRUTAL NATURE OF INTERNATIONAL CAPITALISM
ITS DESPERATE EFFORTS TO THWART REVOLUTIONARY
VEMENTS THE WORLD OVER. CONSEQUENTLY WE WILL
DER NO CIRCUMSTANCES ACCEPT TO BE PRESSURISED OR
ACKMAILED INTO ACCEPTING KISSINGER'S VICIOUS SCHEMEM.
ARE DETERMINED TO WAGE A RESOLUTE ARMED STRUGGLE
TIL FINAL VICTORY.
I.
R THE PURPOSE OF CLARIFYING OUR STAND WE HEREBY
ATE THE REASONS FOR OUR REJECTION OF THE KISSINGER
OPOSALS:
THE KISSINGER PROPOSALS WERE DRAFTED BY THE
EMIES OF THE GREAT ZIMBABWE REVOLUTION AND AS
CH CAN NEVER BE TO THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE PEOPLE
ZIMBABWE BUT ON THE CONTRARY THEY ONLY SERVE TO

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OTECT THE INTERESTS OF IMPERIALISM.
) IN HIS RADIO BROADCAST SMITH MADE IT
TEGORICALLY CLEAR THAT THE PROPOSALS WERE WORKED
T BY THE UNITED STATES, THE UNITED KINGDOM, SOUTH
RICA WITH THE SUPPORT OF THE WESTERN POWERS AND
EN SMITH HIMSELF WAS FREE TO MAKE MODIFICATIONS
THESE PROPOSALS. ALL THESE PARTIES HAVE VESTED
TERESTS IN ZIMBABWE AND IT WOULD BE MOST RIDICULOUS
D PREPOSTEROUS OF THEM TO WORK OUT PROPOSALS
TRIMENTAL TO THEIR VITAL INTERESTS. THIS WOULD BE
NTAMOUNT TO IDEOLOGICAL, POLITICAL, ECONOMIC AND
LTURAL SUICIDE FOR THEM.
(B) IN HIS RADIO BROADCAST SMITH MADE IT UNEQUIV-
ALLY CLEAR THAT THE UNITED STATES, THE UNITED KINGDOM,
UTH AFRICA, MAJOR WESTERN POWERS AND RHODESIA
ARE A COMMON AIR AND PURPOSE. THEY ONLY DIFFER
TH RHODESIA IN APPROACH. AS THEY PUT IT THEIR COM-
N AIR IS TO KEEP RHODESIA IN THE SO-CALLED FREE
RLD. WE ON OUR PART SHARE NEITHER A COMMON AIM NOR
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RPOSE WITH ANY OF THESE IMPERIALIST AND REACTIONARY
RTIES.
(C) IN HIS BROADCAST, SMITH STATED THAT THE
M OF THE KISSINGER PROPOSALS WAS TO COMBAT
OMMUNISM. WHETHER THE ZIMBABWE PEOPLE WANT COM-
NISM OR CAPITALISM THAT IS UP TO THEM TO DECIDE
D NOT FOR ANYBODY TO DECIDE THAT ON THEIR BEHALF.
PERIALISTS HAVE NO RIGHT TO DECIDE A SOCIAL SYSTEM
R US. WE FOLLOW WHAT IS IN THE BEST INTERESTS
THE PEOPLE OF ZIMBABWE. THIS IS OUR SOVEREIGN
GHT.

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(D) SMITH SAID THAT THE WESTERN POWERS CON-
IDERED RHODESIA TO BE THE KEY TO THE SUBCONTINENT.
W CAN ZIMBABWE BE A KEY TO THE SUBCONTINENT
HICH IS THE CITADEL OF REACTION, RACISM AND FASCISM?
OUTHERN AFRICA CAN NEVER BE ISOLATED FROM THE REST
F AFRICA AND WE HAVE NO INTENTION WHATSOEVER OF
VORCING OURSELVES FROM THE REST OF AFRICA SINCE WE
HARE A COMMON AND BITTER EXPERIENCE, A COMMON DARK
AST, A COMMON HERITAGE AND A COMMON DESTINY WITH
HE REST OF AFRICA.

(E) SMITH STATED THAT KISSINGER HAD GIVEN
IM A CATIGORICAL ASSURANCE THAT THE UNITED STATES
ND THE UNITED KINGDOM WOULD BE ABLE TO BRING ABOUT
ESSATION, (TO PUT IT IN SMITH'S OWN WORDS)
"TERRORIST ACTIVITIES." IN WHAT CAPACITY DOES
HE UNITED STATES AND UNITED KINGDOM GIVE THESE
SSURANCES AND BY WHAT MEANS ON EARTH WILL THEY
RING ABOUT THE CESSATION OF THE SO-CALLED TERRORIST
CTIVITIES. SUCH ASSURANCES REEK OF U.S. SUPER

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WER SNOBBERY AND OF ITS DETERMINATION TO STAMP
UT THE FLAMES OF REVOLUTION, THEREBY ESTABLISH
MPERIALIST HEGEMONY. OUR WAR IS A JUST WAR, A
EOPLE'S WAR AND LIBERATION WAR. IT WILL ONLY COME
O AN END AFTER ACHIEVING THE TOTAL LIBERATION OF
IMBABWE.
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